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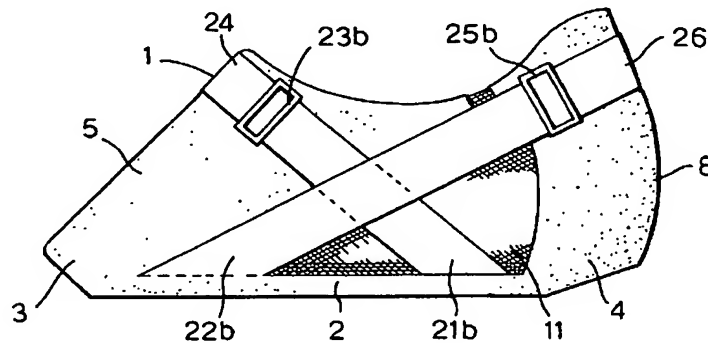
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(54) Title: HORSE SHOE AND MEDICAL COMPOSITION



(57) Abstract: A horse shoe (1) has sole member (2), a front panel (5) which is connected to and extends upwardly from the front of said sole (2) so as, in use, to extend along the front of the hoof of an animal, and a back panel (8) which is connected to and extends upwards from the back of said sole (2) so, in use, to extend along the back of the hoof of an animal. A front strap assembly is composed of a pair of front securing straps (21, 24), a first (21) of which extends around the bottom of the shoe proximate to the back thereof from one side of the shoe to the other, and a second (24) of which extends obliquely from one side of the shoe, around the front panel (5) proximate to an ankle opening therein, to the other side. A rear strap assembly is composed of a pair of rear securing straps (22, 26), a first (22) of which extends around the bottom of the shoe proximate to the front thereof from one side of the shoe to the other, and second (26) of which extends obliquely from one side of the shoe around the back (8) of the shoe proximate to the ankle opening, to the other side. The first and second front straps are connectable to each other and the first and second rear straps are connectable together so as to secure the shoe on the animal hoof. A medical composition comprising 95% to 99% Glycerine, 3 to 8 g/kg of *Lavendula angustifolia* x *latifolia*, 0.5 to 1.5 g/kg *Arnica Montana* and 1.5 to 10 g/kg *Melaleuca alternifolia* for use as a medicament.

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